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 Method for the characterisation of nucleic acid molecules involving generation of extendible upstream dna
 Fragments resulting from the cleavage of nucleic acid at an abasic site

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